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AMARAVATI, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2022

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## **NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT**

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**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Public Services – Endowment Department – Departmental Proceedings initiated against Sri V. Krishna Murthy, former Executive Officer, Gr-II(Retd), Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District - Inquiry under Rule 20 of APCS (Classification Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of Charges framed - Orders – Issued.

**REVENUE (VIGILANCE – IV) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.713**

**Dated:11-11-2021**

**Read the following:**

1. From the Special Commissioner, Endowment Department, A.P., Vijayawada, Letter Rc.No.V3/20026/10/2021, dated: 29.04.2021.
2. Govt.Memo.No.ENDW0CEVG (DISC)/81/2020-VIG-IV,Dated:17.09.2021.
3. G.O.Ms.No.251, Revenue(Vig.IV) Dept. dated.20-09-2021.
4. From the Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Lr. in Rc. No.V3/20026/10 /2021-1, dated:12.10.2021.

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**ORDER:**

It is proposed to hold an Inquiry against Sri V. Krishna Murthy, former Executive Officer, Gr-II (Retd.), Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputation of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charge is enclosed (Annexure-I) and the imputation of misconduct or misbehavior in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III and IV).

3. Sri V. Krishna Murthy, former Executive Officer, Gr-II(Retd), Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District is directed to submit a written statement of defence, if any within (10) ten days of the receipt of this order.

4. Sri V. Krishna Murthy, former Executive Officer, Gr-II(Retd), Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District is informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in the para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

5. Attention of Sri V. Krishna Murthy, former Executive Officer, Gr-II(Retd), Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings, it will be presumed that he is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**G. VANI MOHAN  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (ENDTS)**

To

Sri V. Krishna Murthy, former Executive Officer, Gr-II(Retd), Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District (through the Commissioner Endowments Department, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh)

The Commissioner Endowments Department, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.

The PS to Principal Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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*R. Vani Mohan*  
**SECTION OFFICER**

ANNEXURE-ISTATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. KRISHNA MURTHY, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, GR-II (RETIRED), FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SEETHANAGARAM GROUP TEMPLES, GUNTUR DISTRICT.

**Charge No.1:** That he failed to handed over the charge of the gold and silver articles of Sri Raja Rajeswari Swamy Temple, Sithanagaram (V), tadepalli (M), Guntur weighing of gold Kgs.0.006.100 mgs and Kgs.0.870.00 gms of silver respectively. Which the total value of gold and silver including gems/stones comes to Rs.46,085/- which is highly irregular and dereliction of his duties.

**Charge No.2:** That he failed to handed over the charge of the gold and silver article of Sri Venkateswara & Sri Kodandarama Swamy Temple, Thadepalli (V&M), Guntur weighing of gold Kgs.0.000.800 mgs and Kgs.3.045.00 gms of silver respectively. Which the total value of gold and silver including gems/stones comes to Rs.1,23,280/- which is highly irregular and dereliction of his duties.

**Charge No.3:** That he failed to handover the charge of the gold and silver article of Sri Ganga Bala Tripura Sundari, Sri Raja Rajeswari Sametha Sri Thripura Thanaweswara Swamy Temple, Thadepalli (V&M), Guntur weighing of gold Kgs.0.013.000 mgs and Kgs.1.490.00 gms of silver respectively. Which the total value of gold and silver including gems/stones comes to Rs.83,650/- which is highly irregular and dereliction of his duties.

**Charge No.4:** That he failed to update the DCB Register relating to Sri Someswara Swamy Temple, Seethanagaram village and failed to brought forwarded 500 bags of paddy relating to 2006-07 to later period.

**Charge No.5:** That he failed to handed over the vouchers of all the temples in the Seethanagaram Group temples, Seethanagaram(V), Tadepalli(M), Guntur District to the present Executive Officer.

**Charge No.6:** That he has refunded the deposit amount to the tenants to the tune of Rs.33,000/- who were already in arrears of Rs.48,000/-.

**Charge No.7:** That he failed to handed over the sale proceeds FDR worth of Rs.2,67,000/- belonging to Sri Rajarajeswari Swamy Vari Devasthanam, Seethanagaram(V), Guntur District to the present Executive Officer of the Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District.

G. VANI MOHAN  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (ENDTS)

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*R. Vijay Kumar*  
SECTION OFFICER  
*V.*

**ANNEXURE-II****STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT IN SUPORT OF THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. KRISHNA MURTHY, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, GR-II (RETIRED), FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SEETHANAGARAM GROUP TEMPLES, GUNTUR DISTRICT.**

It has been brought to the notice of the Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Gollapudi through the Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Guntur, that Sri V.Krishnamurthy, Executive Officer, Gr-II, Retired, the then Executive Officer, Seethanagaram Group Temples, Tadepalli(V&M), Guntur District has committed certain irregularities such as, he failed to handed over the charge of the gold and silver articles of Sri Raja Rajeswari Swamy Temple, Sithanagaram (V), tadepalli (M), Guntur weighing of gold Kgs.0.006.100 mgs and Kgs.0.870.00 gms of silver respectively. Which the total value of gold and silver including gems/stones comes to R.46,085/- which is highly irregular and dereliction of his duties ; he failed to handed over the charge of the gold and silver article of Sri Venkateswara & Sri Kodandarama Swamy Temple, Thadepalli (V&M), Guntur weighing of gold Kgs.0.000.800 mgs and Kgs.3.045.00 gms of silver respectively. Which the total value of gold and silver including gems/stones comes to Rs.1,23,280/- which is highly irregular and dereliction of his duties ; he failed to handover the charge of the gold and silver article of Sri Ganga Bala Tripura Sundari, Sri Raja Rajeswari Sametha Sri Thripura Thanaweswara Swamy Temple, Thadepalli (V&M), Guntur weighing of gold Kgs.0.013.000 mgs and Kgs.1.490.00 gms of silver respectively. Which the total value of gold and silver including gems/stones comes to Rs.83,650/- which is highly irregular and dereliction of his duties; he failed to update the DCB Register relating to Sri Someswara Swamy Temple, Seethanagaram village and failed to brought forwarded 500 bags of paddy relating to 2006-07 to later period ; he failed to handed over the vouchers of all the, temples in the Seethanagaram Group temples, Seethanagaram(V), Tadlepalli(M), Guntur District to the present Executive Officer ; he has refunded the deposit amount to the tenants to the tune of Rs.33,000/- who were already in arrears of Rs.48,000/- ; he failed to handed over the sale proceeds FDR worth of Rs.2,67,000/- belonging to Sri Rajarajewari Swami Vari Devasthanam, Seethanagaram(V), Guntur District to the present Executive Officer of the Seethanagaram Group Temples, Guntur District.

**G. VANI MOHAN**  
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (ENDTS)**

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*R. N. Jayakumar*  
**SECTION OFFICER**

ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. KRISHNA MURTHY, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, GR-II (RETIRED), FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SEETHANAGARAM GROUP TEMPLES, GUNTUR DISTRICT .

Lr.In.Rc.No.A6/4556/2020, Dated:03.02.2021 from the Assistant Commissioner, Endowments Department, Guntur.

G. VANI MOHAN  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (ENDTS)

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*R. Vijay Kumar*  
SECTION OFFICER  
*V.*

ANNEXURE-IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHICH ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. KRISHNA MURTHY, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, GR-II (RETIRED), FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SEETHANAGARAM GROUP TEMPLES, GUNTUR DISTRICT .

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